FISCAL NOTE

SB 1682 - HB 1811

April 17, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates a new circumstance constituting the offense of harassment when a person causes a telephone, cellular phone, pager, or other communications equipment or device to repeatedly or continuously ring to harass or deny a person of the use of their device. Harassment is a Class A misdemeanor offense.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Impact depends upon the number of persons convicted of this offense and the resulting increased cost to local governments to confine such persons versus the increased revenues to local governments from fines levied and collected under the provisions of this bill. Such impact is not estimated to be significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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